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## Statement of Attorney General Frosh on Purdue Bankruptcy Decision

**BALTIMORE, MD (December 16, 2021)** - Maryland Attorney General Brian E. Frosh released the following statement following a federal judge's ruling overturning the illegal releases of the State of Maryland's opioid-related police power claims against members of the Sackler family.

*"Today's ruling is a critical development that restores the State's ability to protect the safety of Marylanders by holding fully accountable those who created or contributed to the opioid crisis, particularly members of the Sackler family. Maryland will continue to vigorously pursue justice and relief from the ongoing crisis of death and addiction created by the improper marketing of opioids."*

<https://www.marylandattorneygeneral.gov/press/2021/121621.pdf>